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R. W. WILSON PASSES AWAY

Represented Crittenden County General Assembly of Kentucky—Was County Clerk.

A LIFE LONG DEMOCRAT AND LOVED BY ALL.

The Hon. R. W. Wilson, one of the most prominent citizens of Crittenden county, quietly passed away a little after midnight Sunday morning, January, 2nd.

Mr. Wilson had been in bad health more than six months, but so often rallied, that at times his family thought of his most intimate friends, and with his condition, were related to hope for his ultimate recovery. However he was ready for all of the Master, and had been waiting for it for several months.

Mr. Wilson had just entered upon his eighty-first year since Wednesday, December, 29th. He had served the people of Crittenden county both County Clerk and Representative with proof of the high esteem in which he was held by the whole people was never abused. He was a member of the Southern Presbyterian church and had held the office of pastor for more than half a century, was a man who, by honest efforts, was a strict application to business, proven himself a master of his trade.

Mr. Wilson leaves a widow and children, Mrs. S. M. Jenkins, Mrs. J. W. Wilson, all of Marion. The funeral services were in charge of Pastor, Rev. George F. Mason, held at the beautiful home of Mrs. S. M. Jenkins at one o'clock Monday, afternoon, after which his body was laid to rest in the New Marion cemetery, north of the beautiful flowers.

The elders of his church constituted pall bearers and were: Geo. M. Crider, H. K. Woods, J. W. Blue, Al Dean, D. D. and Senator W. J. Deboe. Tell can it be said that "a prince a great man has fallen this day in death."

Card of Thanks

We want to thank each and every one of our customers for their kind patronage in the past year and ask them to continue to take advantage of our low price on everything and give us their patronage. Come in and take advantage of great bargains shown in our store. Every item is offered at a breaking low price. Don't miss this opportunity to save money, come in and inspect the values for yourself. With the goods before you will agree that these are bargains you have ever seen. They are never undersold on goods of equal quality. Your money will go farthest in our store. Let show you these bargains and we prove to you that it pays to do with us. The goods are always displayed for your inspection. Come in and look the values over. Every item is marked. You are fully welcome whether you buy or not.

Yours truly,

M. E. FOHS

The Mine

LAST NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

All taxes due the County and not paid before January, 19th, will be advertised. This is possibly the last warning.

J. G. ASHER, T. C. C. C.

JUDGE I. H. THURMAN AT BARDSTOWN.

Champions Congressman Ben Johnson as a Strong Advocate of Prohibition.

HE NEVER OWNED OR OPERATED A DISTILLERY.

Judge I. H. Thurman, one of the leading local option advocates of Kentucky, delivered a speech in Bardstown on Monday, December 13, in favor of abolishing the saloons in Nelson county. Bardstown is the home of Congressman Ben Johnson, of the Fourth District. Mr. Johnson had been misrepresented in reference to his attitude on the temperance question by a well-known State politician. Of this misrepresentation Judge Thurman spoke as follows:

"But why should I bother about misrepresentations? Is that the way in Kentucky now, especially when a man holds or is a prospective candidate for office? Is not your own most distinguished citizen's position on this very question almost daily misrepresented, and purely for political purposes? Did not one of the Hart county papers, a bit ago, say that Ben Johnson owned and operated one of the largest distillery plants in Nelson county, when I and all of you know that he never, at any time, had any interest, directly or indirectly, in the manufacture or sale of whisky. You and I know, and every man willing to know, the truth knows, that the records of your County Clerks office, kept within a hundred feet of where I now stand, bear mute testimony to the fact that the first vote he ever cast in his life was for local option in Bardstown. He has voted that way for nearly a quarter of a century. At the last election held in this county upon the question, which was three years ago, he then voted for local option; and I know, and everybody knows, that he will again vote for the local option next Saturday. He is a plain man of few words, and yet a man who is not afraid to express his convictions. In my recent canvass for re-election as Circuit Judge of the Eleventh Judicial District, when I was being fought by the whisky interests of that district as, perhaps, no man was ever fought before, Ben Johnson was the only man holding public office in Kentucky outside of my district who came to my assistance. In a speech made in the very camp of the enemy, with distilleries standing all about him, he boldly and plainly stated that upon the question of local option he stood exactly where he had always stood, that he had always voted for it and always intended to do so. He has never trimmed; he has never dodged. Though he beats no drum, blows no horn and never marches with a brass band, you need never doubt his position upon any public question. More than that, he is a 'dry' man of the right kind—he practices what he preaches. He is one of the few men of my acquaintance of whom it can be truthfully said that neither spirituous, vinous or malt liquor ever passed his lips—a glorious example to the youth of this country. But I came to talk to you of other matters. You people of Nelson county know these things better than I do."

CAMP MEETING NOTICE.

The Camp meeting of the Hurricane Camp-Meeting are expected to meet at Hurricane on Tuesday, Jan. 11th at one o'clock p. m.

R. C. LOVE, P. C.

NEWLY ELECTED COUNTY OFFICIALS

Met at Court House Monday and Were Sworn In—They are a Class of Men Who, Trusted with the

BUSINESS OF THE COUNTY WILL PROTECT IT.

On last Monday all the new elected officers of the county met in the court house at Marion and duty took the oath of their various offices. The names of the new officials are:

W. A. Blackburn, County Judge, Jno. A. Moore, County Attorney, L. E. Guess, County Clerk, Joel A. C. Piekens, Sheriff, R. L. Flannery, Circuit Clerk, William Wallace, Jailor, E. J. Travis, Supt. Schools, Robt. Thomas, Assessor, J. E. Sullenger, Surveyor, Dr. Geo. Stoe, Coroner.

CO. BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

The County Board of Supervisors for Crittenden county met in the court house at Marion Monday and were sworn in. They are: J. D. Asher, Geo. W. Conyer, Hewlet A. Belt, Rufus E. Wilson, and H. F. Morris. They are good men, every one of them.

LAST FISCAL COURT FOR 1909.

The magistrates composing the fiscal court, presided over by Judge W. A. Blackburn, met on Thursday, Dec. 30, and finished up all unfinished business for the year 1909. The court was composed of a representative body, who, notwithstanding it was the last court with some of them, took as much interest in the winding up of the year's business as if they were to preside throughout the new year.

Epworth League Program

For Sunday, Jan. 9th 1910.

Leader, Miss Hazel Pollard, Subject:—"How to Make Our Wills Good."

Song, The Lord's Prayer, Special music, Scripture Reading, Leaders Address, The Topic, By W. L. Shell, Sub-topic, by four select members Song by choir, Collection, Announcements, Benediction.

Lost, Colts Automatic Revolver.

Lost, on the night of December, 23d, a 32 caliber automatic Colt's revolver, some where between Marion and the Memphis mines. Finder will please return to Haynes & Taylor's drug store and be rewarded.

BEN GILBERT.

DISSOLUTION NOTICE

The law firm of Moore & Moore have, by mutual consent, this day dissolved the partnership heretofore existing between them.

Parties indebted to them will please call and settle with either of the undersigned.

J. A. MOORE, Jno. A. MOORE, Marion, Ky., Jan. 1st, 1910.

Card of Thanks.

I want to thank the good people of Marion for being so kind to us during the sickness and death of my dear husband. May God's richest blessings rest upon them.

Mrs. MARTHA WILCOX

STEMMING ASSOCIATION SALES BEST TO DATE

The Farmers Union Had Ten Pools Crittenden Product in Main. Tobacco Sold

WHAT FOLLY TO HAVE FIVE ASSOCIATIONS.

Hereafter, beginning next Monday, January 3rd, the Union county tobacco purchased from the Association by John H. Hodge must go to Uniontown. Mr. Hodge has been receiving this tobacco up to the present time at Morganfield. He, as is known to all, is entitled to all the FIRED tobacco in Union county outside of the metes and bounds set apart for the Gallaher Co. Mr. Hodge will receive no more tobacco at Morganfield.

To reiterate—Union county members, living outside of the Gallaher purchase, must hereafter take fired tobacco to Uniontown to John H. Hodge.

UNFIRED tobacco in Union county, other than that sold to Gallaher, must continue to go to the Newman and Richards factory at Morganfield.

The committee and purchasers are co-operating to arrange matters for the convenience of Union county.

In the past few years Uniontown has had the factory business of the Association Union county tobacco.

This season, to the present time, Morganfield has been the recipient of Association business. Hereafter Uniontown will divide the business with Morganfield, committee were anxious to divide the business that way from the very first, but were compelled to defer to the wishes of purchasers.

STEMMING ASSOCIATION SALES BEST TO DATE

The Farmers' Union had two pools of tobacco, Crittenden's product in the main, although there was some little tobacco in each pool from Webster and Union counties. The pool at Marion contained about 600,000 pounds of tobacco. This was sold by the Farmers' Union at from \$9 down to \$5 for good and lugs and three for the trash. It is said by expert tobacco men that the average for this pool will not be to exceed six cents—so disappointing is the present crop in quality.

The second pool conducted under the auspices of the Farmers' Union was at Sullivan, near the Crittenden line, in Union county. This pool contained, say, 300,000 pounds of tobacco, which was recently sold at 6 3/4 cents average.

All the tobacco in Muhlenberg county was sold at from \$9 down to \$5 for good and lugs and \$3 for the trash.

And so with the counties of Daviess, Hancock, Breckenridge, McLean and Ohio. Three Associations in which was pooled the product of these counties sold the pooled tobacco at from \$9 down to \$5 for good and lugs and down to \$3 for trash. Average say 6 cents or a fraction more.

In all the Green river country the Stemming Association has made the best sale of 1909 tobacco, namely, Seven cents average.

What folly to have five Associations—all going it alone—without a semblance of co-operation.

Mrs. N. E. Calmes went to Grove Center Monday of last week to bring home her son, Master Robert, who had been on a protracted visit to his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Moore.

MORRIS & YATES ARE FEELING GOOD

The 1909 The Most Prosperous In the History of this Enterprising Firm.

WE THANK YOU ONE AND ALL FOR YOUR LIBERAL PATRONAGE.

Having enjoyed the best trade the past year in the history of our firm and feeling a deep appreciation for the exceedingly liberal patronage given us by our host of customers, we are desirous of extending to them our thanks. During the past year we tried as best we could to keep the best stock of groceries in the county and, with an honest purpose and fair dealing, we feel to have merited our success at your hands, and you can not blame us if we be exultant and abundantly thankful to God and man for friends that stick eth closer than a brother.

Now with best wishes for the happiness and prosperity of every one of our customers throughout the new year, and hoping for a continuation of their liberal patronage we remain, Yours truly,

MORRIS & YATES.

Blackwell Lodge, K. of P. No 57 Elect Officers.

On the last meeting in December, of Blackwell Lodge, Knights of Pythias, officers for the new year were elected as follows:

J. P. King,	C. C.
R. L. Flannery,	V. C.
W. D. Cannon,	Prelate,
J. M. Freeman,	M. at A.
Geo. M. Crider,	M. of W.
C. W. Haynes,	K. R. of S.
Gus Taylor,	M. of E.
Guy Lamb,	M. of F.
Jno. W. Wilson,	P. C.

A sumptuous banquet was served at the up-to-date restaurant of J. C. Speece during the dying hours of the Old Year, at which, various appropriate toasts were enjoyed. Mr. Speece was ably assisted by his good wife in the serving of oysters, stewed and fried and the splendid coffee and cake.

Bigham Lodge F. and A. M. No. 256, Elect Officers.

The members of Bigham Lodge elected officers for the year 1910 as follows:

C. W. Lamb,	Master,
Geo. M. Crider,	S. W.
C. D. Haynes,	J. W.
W. D. Cannon,	Treasurer,
J. B. Kevil,	Secretary,
E. B. Heath,	S. D.
Chas. Walker,	Jr. D.
Jas. Price,	Chaplain,
Creed Taylor,	Steward,
C. V. Francis,	Tyler.
D. L. Bryant,	

Liberty Lodge No 588; F. and A. M. Elect Officers.

Liberty Lodge No 588 F. & A. M. met in their Hall at Francis, Ky., on December, 26th 1909 and elected the following officers:

Chas. W. Fox,	W. M.
W. E. Wicker,	S. W.
J. B. Tyner,	J. W.
R. B. Clement,	Treasurer,
M. F. Pogue,	Secretary,
J. B. Binkley,	S. D.
J. J. Hodge,	J. D.
W. W. Pogue,	Tyler,
D. N. Riley and W. B. Binkley,	Stewards.

J. W. Hudson, now of Watertown Tenn., called before leaving and subscribed for the Record-Press.

M. and F. ACADEMY AT PROVIDENCE

With Prof. J. Y. Brown as Principal, Is a School Fit For All. --Try It.

BUILDINGS AND EQUIPMENTS ENTIRELY NEW.

The M. and F. Academy, Providence, Ky., is the best school in Western Kentucky for sincere students.

The building with the entire equipment is new, the discipline is excellent, and the courses of study are complete within themselves.

We insist on thoroughness and do not admit idle, aimless boys and girls with but little or no self-restraint.

See the following testimonial: "Many young persons go to college when they are greatly in need of a year's preparation in just such a school as the M. and F. Academy. —S. Hicks."

We can furnish dozens of testimonials like the foregoing by able educators all over Western Kentucky. Write for particulars.

Very respectfully,

J. Y. BROWN,

Principal M. & F. Academy.

Zion Hill Lodge, No 371 F. & A. M. Elect Officers.

Zion Hill Lodge, No. 371 F. & A. M., met last week and elected the following officers for 1910:

Robt. L. Flannery,	Master,
Thos. Wofford,	S. W.
J. R. Moore,	J. W.
C. A. Daughtry,	Treasurer,
W. B. Wilborn,	Secretary,
J. T. Lamb,	S. D.
S. G. Ford,	J. D.
J. H. Lucas,	Tyler.

Christmas Wedding.

Married at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. Albert Butler, Dr. Roy K. Waddell to Miss Vera Butler, Dec. 26, in the presence of a number of friends.

The bridegroom is a promising young physician, just out of school and ready for the practice of his profession and located in Salem, Livingston county, Kentucky.

The bride is an accomplished young lady, possessing every grace that go to make a noble woman, a good wife and desirable neighbor.

We join their many friends in wishing them a happy life.

Elder J. J. FRANKS.

Is 90 Years Old.

Paducah, Ky., Jan. 3, '10.

Through the courtesy of the Record-Press I wish to extend greetings to my many friends and relatives in old Crittenden and other parts of the country with the information that today I am entering my 90th year well and happy, willing to stay till the Lord shall call me home, and perfectly resigned to go at any time. In my weakness I have been trying to serve him 63 years, and to all this time He has been so good to me. He has given me 66 children, grand-children and great-grandchildren, and very nearly, if not quite all of them who have arrived at the years of accountability, are traveling to the same home with me. Fifty-seven of them are living. Truly the Lord is gracious. Wishing you a happy New Year, and hoping and praying that we may all be reunited in the home of the children of God, I bid you good by.

S. PIERCE.

PRESIDENT TAFT ON COUNTRY LIFE.

He Pictures The Country Home Without The Telephone Far Behind The Times.

"I congratulate the people of North Carolina that next the state of Mississippi, it has a population more devoted to the soil and its cultivation than any other state in the United States. You do not have large cities, and I do not think that a defect at all in your civilization. The fact is that the tendency toward concentration of population in the cities is a tendency that ought to be restrained. "Country life ought to be made more comfortable and attractive. The pursuit of agriculture, the profession of farming to day, may well attract the mental and manual activity of men of the highest education, of the highest culture, and of the highest ambition."

It was in these words that President Taft, in the course of his famous "swing around the circle", addressed the people at Wilmington, North Carolina. With the facility of all public men for touching upon something locally of vital interest, he picked out a subject that is very near the hearts of the great rural population. He was following the lead of his strenuous predecessor in office, who focussed public attention upon the farm problem less than a year ago, when appointed a commission to investigate and report upon conditions of country life.

In the opinion of many, Mr. Taft, in again awakening the farm life problem, has "hit the nail on the head." How to keep the boy on the farm—this is but one phase of the great question that has so long occupied the attention of men in public and private life.

The movement to the city of boys bred in the country has always been viewed with considerable alarm. Such a movement if it became too general would result in two great evils—overcrowding in city slums and lowering the standard of work on the farms.

What's to be done? If young people are discontented at home, and think more opportunities are to be had in the cities; if they find farm work a drudgery and the social life of the country irksome and monotonous, is there not some remedy? To remove the cause of discontent would seem to be the best solution. It may be recorded here that so successful have been efforts to make life on the farms more profitable and attractive that danger of any serious exodus to the cities is a thing of the past.

The farms to-day have many advantages that a generation ago were not known. Most of them are reached by the rural mail, the good roads movement has spread wonderfully, newspapers and farm journals have extended their educative influence, and the rural telephone has organized the great body of farmers and brought them to a better knowledge of each other.

This one agency—the telephone—has done more, perhaps, than anything else to promote the business and home welfare of all the farmers. Through all the great mediums of publicity the truths concerning its power for good have been told to the country population. The Western Electric Company, the largest manufacturer of telephones in the world, distributed instructive literature on the farm telephone subject throughout the rural districts. Farmers were shown how easily rural lines

are constructed, and how great a return such a line gives when viewed only from the standpoint of an investment.

For not only does a rural telephone pay; there are times when its presence confers a benefit that could never be gauged in terms of dollars and cents. For instance, when a physician or a veterinary is wanted in a hurry, the telephone is the only reliable and a quicker-than lightning messenger. The telephone really increases the efficiency of the farms.

President Taft is merely emphasizing the stand of Mr. Roosevelt, who said:

"If there is one lesson taught by history, it is that the permanent greatness of any state must depend more upon its country population than upon anything else. No growth of cities, no growth of wealth can make up for a loss in either the number or character of the farming population."

Commissioner's Sale.

CRITTENDEN CIRCUIT COURT, KENTUCKY.

ALICE HUGHES LONG, Plff. } Equy
Against
HENRY ESTON HUGHES, Dft. }

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Crittenden Circuit Court, rendered at the November term thereof, 1909, in the above cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court house door in Marion to the highest bidder at PUBLIC AUCTION, on Monday, the 10th day of January, 1910, at 1 o'clock p. m., or thereabout, (being Court day), upon a credit of six months the following described property, to wit:

A parcel of land in Crittenden county, Ky., near Crayne, and being a part of the land bought by John P. Swansy from Wyatt L. Hunt, May 15, 1899, and the same land conveyed by John P. Swansy to James A. Hughes, on the 24th day of May, 1899, by deed recorded in book 8, page 389, and the interest of L. Bertie Agree, one of the children and heirs of James A. Hughes, having been conveyed to W. R. Cruce, on the 26th day of August, 1909, by deed recorded in book 25, page 192, and bounded as follows:

Beginning at a double white oak, Minner's corner, and also Adams' corner; thence S 36 1-2 E, 99 1-2 poles to a stone; thence South 77 1-2 E, 31 1-4 poles to a stone, with three dogwood pointers; thence South 70 East, 16 poles to a stone in the old Dyeusburg road; thence South 2 West, 5 poles to an elm, Mrs. Crayne's corner; thence with the old Dyeusburg road, South 20 West, 311 poles to a stone in one of the original lines; thence with the original line South 35 1-4 East, 18 1-2 poles to a stone with three elms and two hickories as pointers; thence South 27 West 54 poles to a stake in outer line of the O. V. railroad, (now the I. C. railroad), thence with outer line of O. V. railroad, North 48 West, 115 poles North 36 West 32 poles; North 21 West 23 poles to a small sassafras bush in Alex Minner's line; thence leaving railroad, North 54 East 26 poles to a stone; North 46 West 35 poles to a stone in outer line of O. V. railroad; thence with outer line of O. V. railroad North 70 poles to a stone in another of Minner's lines; thence with same North 58 East 40 poles to the beginning, containing 77 1-8 acres, more or less.

Also a strip of land 8 feet wide, leading from the elm, Mrs. Crayne's

corner, to the Marion and Fredonia road, being the same strip conveyed by Mrs. E. E. Crayne to W. L. Hunt, and by Hunt to said Swansy, and by Swansy to Hughes, which strip is designed for an outlet for said Hughes his heirs and assigns.

For the purchase price the purchaser, with approved security or securities, must execute bond bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

J. G. ROCHESTER,
Commissioner.

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Commissioner's Sale.

CRITTENDEN CIRCUIT COURT, KENTUCKY.

I. F. WHEELER, et al, Plff. } Equy
against
ULA WHEELER, et al, Dft. }

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Crittenden Circuit Court, rendered at the November Term thereof, 1909, in the above cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Marion to the highest bidder, at PUBLIC AUCTION on Monday the 10th day of January, 1910, at one o'clock p. m., or thereabout, (being Court day), upon a credit of six months, the following described property, to wit:

Lot, No 13, in Calvert's addition to the town of Marion, in Crittenden county, Ky., and the same lot conveyed to R. L. Bigham by E. P. Watkins, Commissioner, and by Bettie Bigham, to W. C. Carnahan by deed recorded in Book D, page 307, and by W. C. Carnahan and wife to Mrs. E. G. Wheeler on the 4th day of Feb. 1881, by deed recorded in Book P, page 219, in the Crittenden County Court Clerk's office, and beginning 12 feet east of the S. E. corner of Lot No. 12, said 12 feet being an alley between Lots Nos. 12 and 13, thence N 158 1/2 feet; thence E 99 feet (should be 108 feet to the street) thence S 158 1/2 feet; thence W 99 feet (should be 108 feet) to the beginning. Also a lot in the town of Marion, Ky., lying on the East side of the street opened by R. C. Walker, running North and South through what is known as the N. C. Dean land, and adjoining the North of the said E. G. Wheeler's lot (which is the lot above described, and being the same lot conveyed to Mrs. E. G. Wheeler by Mrs. Josephine Adams and Jos. Adams, her husband, on the 16th day of March, 1893, by a deed recorded in Book 2, on page 303, in the Crittenden County Court Clerk's office, and beginning at a stake in the edge of the street, N W corner, to said E. G. Wheeler's lot (being the lot above described herein) thence S 88 1/2 E, 101 feet with said Wheeler's line to corner of the lot deeded to said Adams by R. N. Walker; thence with line of same, N 95 feet to a stake, corner to J. F. Price's lot, thence N 88 1/2 W 101

feet to a stake in said street thence with a line of said street, 95 feet south to the beginning.

For the purchase price the purchaser, with approved security or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

J. G. ROCHESTER,
Commissioner.

Corn Wanted.

Until further notice we will pay 60 cents per bushel for sound white shucked corn. Now is a good time to lay in your winter's supply of flour. Bring on your corn and get the cash or flour. The quality of our flour can not be excelled.

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Commissioner's Sale.

CRITTENDEN CIRCUIT COURT, KENTUCKY.

M. K. GORDON, Receiver of the Court in the action of W. C. Morton, Executor of the estate of John C. Morton, Plff. } Equy
vs
HELLEN MORTON, HILL, et al, Dft. }

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Crittenden Circuit Court, rendered at the November term thereof, 1909, in the above cause for the sum of \$1,250.00, with interest at the rate of 8 per cent per annum from the 28th day of February, 1906, until paid, and costs herein. I shall proceed to offer for sale at the court house door in Marion to the highest bidder, at PUBLIC AUCTION, on Monday the 10th day of January, 1910, at 1 o'clock p. m., or thereabout, (being Court day), upon a credit of six months the following property, to wit:

Beginning at a stake or stone in the old Robertson military survey; thence N 48 1-2 W, 248 poles to a stake or stone and sweet gum on bank of Axley creek with hickory

pointers; thence down the creek with its meanders to a stake or stone with three white oak pointers; thence S 48 E, 241 poles to a stake or stone in the original Robertson military line; thence with said line, N 38 E, 74 1-3 poles to the beginning, containing 100 acres, more or less, said land lying and being in the county of Crittenden and State of Kentucky, on the waters of Axley creek, and being the same land conveyed to the defendant, J. B. Polk, by T. L. Taylor and wife by a deed dated the 28th day of February, 1906; of record in the office of the Clerk of the Crittenden county court, in deed book 18, on page 487.

Or sufficient thereof to produce the sums of money so ordered to be made. For the purchase price the purchaser must execute bond, bearing legal interest from day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

J. G. ROCHESTER,
Commissioner.

GO TO McConnel's Barber Shop

FOR
a Smooth Shave and
Up-to-Date Hair Cut.
Hot and Cold Baths

Barbers:—Walter McConnel and J. Blanton Wiggins
Jenkins Building
Carlisle St. Marion, Ky.

LITTLE UNION

Getting wood and sitting by the fire, is the order of the day, as it has been quite cool the past few days.

The ponds are all frozen and the boys, and girls as well, have been enjoying themselves in the favorite pastime of skating, for the last few days.

A great many loads of tobacco have passed through this neighborhood the past few days, enroute to Paducah, where it is demanding a very high price.

About all the tobacco being delivered that was sold on the stalk.

Nearly all the corn is about gathered and garnered in its winter quarters.

The Little Union school, under the supervision of Prof. Ira Faith, is progressing finely.

We have established a debating society which meets every Friday night. We have recitations and mi-

nor speeches, besides our debates. The subject for last Friday night was: "Resolved, That Nature is more pleasing to the eye than Art."

The affirmative was championed by Kennedy Wheeler and the negative, by Prof. Robt. Faith, a decision being rendered in favor of the affirmative.

Dr. Herman Willett was out here Sunday, spending the day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Willett, returning to Paducah on the 8 train. Dr. Willett is a promising young physician, with a good position in the I. C. Hospital at Paducah, but shortly to go to a higher position at St. Louis.

Over The Postal to Egypt.

Miss Mary Cameron sent a message over the Postal lines from the office in the Record-Press building last week, to a party in Egypt at a cost of fifty-eight cents a word.

G. H. King has just returned from Ark. with his son Winfred who has been seriously affected with rheumatism.

G. H. King, of Gladstone, Ky. handed us a dollar for the Record-Press.

John King, of Roe, Ark., sent a dollar for his renewal to the Record-Press last week.

Miss Jennie Robinson, of Nashville, Tenn., sent us a dollar for the Record-Press last week.

J. Edger Howerton called last week and handed us \$1.25 for the Record-Press and 100 envelopes with his name and address.

G. S. James handed us a dollar last week for the Record-Press.

Albert Butler, former Representative of Crittenden and Livingston counties, called last week and handed us \$1.25 for the Record-Press and 100 nicely printed envelopes.

C. I. Morgan, a prominent flouring mill man, of Franklin, Ky., while visiting friends in the county, called and had his name added to the rapidly increasing list of the Record-Press.

Miss Miriam Travis sent us a dollar last week for the Record-Press.

T. J. Woody handed us a dollar last week for the Record-Press.

We are in receipt of a letter from Peter Kearey, from Beaulieu, Wimbledon Park, Surrey, England, for the Record-Press to be sent him.

Important to Ambitious Young People

\$65 has paid for the tuition and board for a Business Course at the Wilbur Smith Business College, Lexington, Ky. Many of the graduates of this college have positions paying from \$75 00 to \$200 00 per month.

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Call at our office or address your order to The Record-Press, Marion, Kentucky

RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS WANTED.

Government Pays Railway Mail Clerks \$800 to \$1,200, and Other Employees up to \$2,500 Annually.

Uncle Sam will hold Spring examinations throughout the country for Railway Mail Clerks, Custom House Clerks, Stenographers, Bookkeepers, Departmental Clerks and other Government Positions. Thousands of appointments will be made. Any man or woman over 18, in City or Country can get Instruction and free information by writing at once to the Bureau of Instruction, Hamlin Building, Rochester, N. Y.

Commissioner's Sale.

CRITTENDEN CIRCUIT COURT, KENTUCKY.

VS. ESSIE MAY KING, Plaintiff
Against
JOY LEE JAMES, Defendant.
In Equity.

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Crittenden Circuit Court, rendered at the November term thereof, 1909, in the above cause, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Marion to the highest bidder, at PUBLIC AUCTION, on Monday the 10th day of January, 1910, at one o'clock p. m., or thereabout, (being Court day), upon a credit of six months, the following described property to wit:

All that part of the Elisha Conner tract survey of land lying on the both sides of Crooked Creek in Crittenden county, Ky., supposed to be about 86 acres more or less.

For the purchase price the purchaser, with approved security or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms.

J. G. ROCHESTER,
Commissioner.

MEN WANTED:—Laborers, pay \$1.40 per day. Carpenters, \$1.50 to \$2.00. Special skilled carpenters \$2.25 to \$2.50.

ROSELARK LEAD & FLUOR SPAR MINES,
Roselark, Ill.

AN UNUSUAL OFFER TO SUBSCRIBERS.

Every Farmer and Citizen Should Have His Name and Post-office Printed on His Envelopes.

Every farmer or citizen for that matter, should have his name and post-office printed on his envelopes and the paper he or his family use in their correspondence, thus avoiding any mistake in a reply. On all rural routes nearly everywhere this custom is being practiced and approved of, when too, it is found to be so much cheaper than buying plain paper and envelopes by the small quantity.

Here is our proposition:

To every one subscribing or renewing their subscription to the RECORD-PRESS, we will give 100 envelopes and 250 sheets of nice note paper, with your name and address and whatever you want to say on both for the total sum of \$1.50.

The envelopes and paper alone would cost \$1.00 anywhere without the printing and by taking advantage of this offer you get the RECORD-PRESS one year to any address, together with 100 nice envelopes and 250 sheets of paper for \$1.50.

We promise as much care in pleasing you as if you were paying full price. In other words we will guarantee to please you.

We are making this low offer that we may hold every subscriber and secure as many new ones as possible. We are anxious to increase our circulation from its already present high mark, and feel that this is the best way to do it.

Now of course you can not get your work the day you subscribe and order it. But your name will be entered with a copy of what you want and in a few days at the outside limit your work will be done and done to please you. There is scarcely a family in Crittenden county that will not spend twice this amount in the run of a year for paper and envelopes without the printing.

Should there be those who want only the 100 envelopes with the RECORD PRESS, the total cost will be \$1.25.

We have ordered a tremendous

stock of envelopes and paper for this offer and will be ready to fill all order as fast as received. No one will be compelled to wait longer than for the work to dry.

Come in when you come to Marion and leave your order.

KID RIDGE.

Weather is changeable in this section.

The "candy breaking" at Curtis Teer's was enjoyed very much on last Wednesday night.

Look out for the year 1910.

Old Santa Clause visited the Crayne School Thursday.

Mr. E. Duller, of Mo., is the guest of friends here.

Miss Mattie Clement, who has been attending school at St Vincent, has returned.

Newt Bressner, who has been gone quite a while, having served out his time in the army, is now home permanently.

Mr. Wilson Travis visited W. W. Teer Sunday.

Mrs. Susie Sullinger was the guest of Mrs. Grandstaff Thursday.

Miss Florence Dawson has returned home.

Fine interest in the Sunday School at Crayne.

Furs are bringing good prices here this season.

Riley Rogers' new house is almost completed.

An interesting meeting is in progress at Crayne.

Mrs. Ida Riley is visiting friends in this neighborhood.

John Towery is off on a Christmas visit to friends and relatives, Everett Teer was the guest of J. C. Jones Sunday.

Mrs. Julia Ordway and daughter visited Mrs. Flora Deboe last week.

Rail-road hands have been laid off for a time.

Pert Crayne has had a very sick child at his home.

Miss Dixie Binkley has been on the sick list.

Mrs. Mary Elder visited friends at Crayne last week.

Miss Dessie Binkley is visiting relatives near Francis.

Rev. L. Threlkeld has been holding a meeting at Crayne.

Mrs. Lottie Jones visited Mrs. Celia Tabor Sunday.

GUARANTEED DANDRUF CURE.

Beware of the druggist who tells you that any other hair tonic is just as good as Parisian Sage—he knows better.

Haynes & Taylor are the agents for Parisian Sage, and he won't try to give you some-thing just as good, because he knows that Parisian Sage is guaranteed to cure dandruff, stop falling hair, and cure all diseases of the scalp in two weeks, or money back.

He knows that Parisian Sage is highly recommended as the most pleasant and rejuvenating hair dressing known. It makes the hair fluffy and beautiful. 50 cents a large bottle at Haynes & Taylor. They will guarantee it. Made in America only by Giroux Mfg. Co., Buffalo, New York.

ANONYMOUS OPENS UP ON CHRISTMAS

On this beautiful Christmas morning I am sitting all alone in my study gazing from my window to the Eastward where, in more pleasant days than these, I recall memories of happy hours spent with those among whom I was wont to mingle in days of old.

While this is not the gladdest holiday season of my life, being spent away from home and all those that

are dear to me, still, the serene calm which now is mine, enables me to reflect upon the noble friendships and the "Ties that Bind", which have been formed in the pleasant past among those just blooming into young manhood and womanhood, (these being most lasting) and which I expect to go with me to the Great Infinite Beyond.

Yet while things are made rather still for me at this time, the fact that it is Christmas Time when all should be merry making the stillness and the day the more beautiful, this stillness to me is more pleasant and my mind rests from its daily work with a greater ease, than could possibly have fallen to my lot among new and frivolous acquaintances who do not know me and whom I do not know.

For the beautiful sunlight streaming from the horizon and the birds chirping their sweet melodies, present to the mind sweet recollections and inspire there anew, bright hopes for the future. The merry tidings of those about us herald a greater, grander, and more triumphant day; when the Angel of Peace shall kiss every frown from the brow of the Universe, and universal concord and good-will shall reign among men.

"Beautiful twilight at set of sun;
Beautiful goal with race well run."

ANONYMOUS

HEBRON

Old Santa Claus has visited us and we hope he has visited every reader of the Record-Press.

Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Guess, of Tolu, spent Christmas with her father, Mr. Z. T. Terry.

Bud Kirk, of Salem, has moved to Bill Barley's house.

Mr. and Mrs. Ebb Sullenger, of Sheridan, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Bracy this week.

Harvey Clark, who has been working at Fairview mines, is spending this week at home.

Si Franklin and family moved to Marion Monday.

Mis Ruth Cook, who is attending school at Lexington, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Williams visited her mother, Mrs. LaRue, of Marion, first of last week.

Miss Bettye Morton, of Henderson is spending the Christmas holidays with her parents.

George Byarly spent Christmas with his son Jim, of Tolu.

Prof. C. E. Thomas and wife visited Edd Cooks, Sunday.

Miss Elva Roberts, the teacher of the Tolu school, passed through here Friday en-route home.

Pof. Kee and family, of Ripley, Tenn. are visiting her parents, Mr. Mrs. H. Wathen.

A Happy New Year to all the readers of the Crittenden Record Press.

EQUITY MEETING

All county locals of the American Society of Equity will please take notice that the County Lodge is hereby called to meet in Marion, Ky. on Saturday, January, 8th., which is the second Saturday, for the purpose of electing officers for the coming year, and to transact any other business that may come before the meeting. All Locals will please send delegates.

J. N. LAMB, President,
B. L. WILBORN, Secretary.

Savannah, Mo., Dec. 28th., 1909; N. E. Calmes, Dear Sir:—You will find enclosed, one dollar to pay for the Record Press one year, to begin with the first issue of the new year.

With best wishes for the Record-Press, I am, Yours truly,
Herbert Cruce.

LYE STEWED PEACHES THAT'S WHAT WE EAT

Another Pure Food Discussion
As to How Peaches Are Put Up For the Public

The pure food agitation which has been principally over the question of benzoate of soda has now taken a new turn and renewed interest will doubtless be aroused over this question.

It is said that in most of the canneries of the country peaches are stewed in red-hot caustic soda to eat away the skins and thereby save the cost of knife-peeling, the difference in cost amounting to a cent and a half or two cents per can.

In the process of this lye stewing almost all flavor of the peach disappears and doubtless a little caustic soda is left on each piece of fruit as a memento of its trip through the cannery.

Caustic soda strong enough to eat away the skin of an unripe peach must be anything but soothing to the inner man or child. The full significance of this is best understood in connection with the fact that caustic soda is used in making many kinds of soap; in fact, it is the dirt eating part of soap.

It is said that the great majority of the canneries use the lye process in place of the knife-peeling method.

Attempts have been made for sometime to get the Department of Agriculture to make ruling on this question which would compel the canners who use this method to say so on the labels of their goods. It looks now as if the question will be passed up to Congress for a specific law covering this phase of the pure food agitation.

The use of caustic soda is impossible with ripe fruit, because it discolors a ripe peach so that it will not pass muster with the users of high-grade canned fruits. In consequence this process is possible only with unripe fruit, and green fruit is purposely gathered for canning.

Owing to the absence of any marks on the cans to indicate the use of caustic soda, the only way the customer can tell if he has purchased a lye process can of fruit is by taste. Open a can of peaches, wash away the syrup from a piece of the fruit.

Then taste it. If it is void of flavor, woody and pulpy, and has a soapy appearance, it is undoubtedly the lye-peeled variety.

Tucker—Drennan.

Mr. Claude Drennan and Miss Winnie Tucker were married at the home of the bride on the afternoon of December the 22d at 2-30 o'clock, by Rev. W. T. Oakley, in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends.

The bride is of the Shady Grove neighborhood and is said to be one of the most beautiful and lovable young ladies in the county. The groom is a popular young farmer, of Iron Hill country. The Record-Press extends best wishes to the happy couple for a life fraught with the richest of God's blessings.

THE PERFECT WAY.

Scores of Marion Citizens Have Learned It.

If you suffer from backache. There is only one way to cure it. The perfect way is to cure the kidney.

A bad back means sick kidneys. Neglect it, urinary troubles follow.

Doan's Kidney Pills are made for kidneys only.

Are endorsed by Marion people.

William Redd, farmer, Marion, Ky., says: "I was subject to sharp twinges through my loins when I stooped or lifted and was also troubled by a pain in the small of my back. At night I had an acute backache and when I rose in the morning, I felt very lame. I tired easily, was dull and languid and at times was very nervous. The kidney secretions were too frequent in passage and I was forced to arise from three to four times during the night on this account. Learning of Doan's Kidney Pills, I procured a box at Haynes & Taylor's Drug Store and, after using them about three days, I received great relief. I continued using them until I had finished the contents of one box, at which time I was cured. I am pleased to give this remedy my endorsement."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Sheriff Asher Eats Bear Meat

Mrs. John Sumner, of Sumner, Miss., who visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Asher during the holidays, brought them a choice chunk of a fine bear, killed by her husband just before she left.

If Sheriff Asher should be "as cross as a bear," it will be because he has been eating bear meat.

Curry--Woodard.

At 3 o'clock on the afternoon of December 22d., at the home of the bride, Mr. Orda Woodard and Miss Tilda Curry were united in holy wedlock by Rev. W. T. Oakley.

The beautiful wedding was witnessed by a host of friends of both the popular young people.

The groom is a popular young farmer of Cave Spring neighborhood, while the lovely bride is a popular young woman, of Iron Hill country.

They have the best wishes of the Record-Press for a long, prosperous and happy life.

Demand for Graduates of Wilbur Smith's Business College.

Bankers, Officials, Merchants and others have written Prof. Smith for his graduates. The demand has exceeded the supply. For particulars address Wilbur R. Smith, Lexington Ky.

Money Comes In Bunches

to A. A. Chisholm, of Treadwell, N. Y., now. His reason is well worth reading: "For a long time I suffered from indigestion, torpid liver, constipation, nervousness and general debility," he writes "I couldn't sleep had no appetite, nor ambition, grew weaker every day in spite of all medical treatment. Then used Electric Bitters. Twelve bottles restored all my old-time health and vigor. Now I can attend to business every day. Its a medicine." Infallible for Stomach, Liver, Kidneys, Blood and Nerves. 50c. at Jas. H. Orme's and Haynes & Taylor.

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We are now in the Dry Goods, Clothing, Notions, Shoes and Grocery business in the I. O. O. F. building on Salem street where we will be glad to welcome our friends and customers, and show them a nice general line of goods as can be found in Marion or Crittenden county.

We are now just opening up. But by the first of the New Year, will have every thing your heart could wish and of the freshest and cleanest to be had any where. Do not forget us. We want your patronage and by good treatment and fair dealing we mean to merit it. Come see us and leave your orders.

Yours For Business,
McMURRAY & GRISSOM.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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Chas. H. Fletcher.

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For 1910 all Brainy People
Make Good Resolves Galore,
So buy Goods at Y. G. Co. Store
and then--
Resolve to buy some more.

This
Has
Been
Our
Big
Year.

Clearing the Decks
Of Cold Weather Weara-
bles.

Special Prices Throughout to In-
sure Quick Action.

We thank you for what you have done, and appreciate your business.
Every Year demonstrates That-The more we sell the cheaper we can afford to sell

Yandell-Gugenheim Company

The Crittenden Record-Press

N. E. CALMES Editor and Publisher.

Entered as second-class matter February 9th
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the Act of Congress of March 3, 1879.

One Dollar the Year in Advance.

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Metal bases only used for Plates and Electros.
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Locals 10¢ per line in twelve point type.

We hail our faithful corps of cor-
respondents with hearty, good wishes
for them for the year 1910, as with
their help we mean to secure all the
news fit to print, from every section
of country visited by the Record-
Press.

We desire to thank our Corres-
pondents for their efforts in the past
and for the many compliments and
good wishes received at their hands,
all of which proves to us that,
though we are among strangers, they
are our friends.

Now just a word of advice: Give
every news item possible, using ev-
ery precaution in securing and prop-
erly spelling all proper names, as it
sometimes offends people to see their
names misspelled. Look at
the paper, the births, deaths,
weddings, accidents, the sick, all
social events, visitors, churches, im-
provements, fine stock, stock sales
and so on. If you should send in
a notice of a lost hog, or a farm for
sale, we would be compelled to cut
them out, and especially so where
the parties will not take the paper.
As nearly everything a newspaper
man does is free, we feel it to be un-
fair to ask us to advertise free, the
lost stock and farms for sale. These
last named come under the head of
advertising and we have always found
advertising to pay the advertiser bet-
ter than the printer.

Stick to us all through the year
1910 as faithfully as you have in the
past and we shall do our best to
make you proud of it. We want a
live news gatherer as a regular cor-
respondent, from every neighbor-
hood so that the columns of the
Record-Press may be full of live news
every week, from every town and
neighborhood where it goes. This
will be more, "a letter from home,"
to the six or seven hundred subscrib-
ers outside the state of Kentucky.

We once had a friend and corres-
pondent who wrote us at the begin-
ning of the new year, saying: "It is
my wish and hope to bury all the
ill thoughts and unworthy memories
of the old year, but to keep alive

the good, the cheer and truth which
the dead months gave. This is
therefore to say requiescat to that
which love and friendship have slain
and hail to that in the thoughts of
us two which should live and in-
crease. "If thy heart is right as my
heart is right, give me thy hand." Very
many years have passed since the
sending of that message at the year's
end, but the memory of it abides.

It was a thing worthy a Christian
and nobleman to say. It was a
pledge which has been made into
life and into a law which has helped
in life's governance.

The years and seasons are in one
sense artificial things. Time swells
on in one vast never-staying tide,
half yesterdays and half to-morrow.

And yet in a sense most tremen-
dously true the calendar answers to
the heart and its affections, to the
intellect and its processes. The
Sabbaths were given us that we
might find in them the answer of our
own restless and hungry soul cries.

The great feast days of years—
those which all the families of men
accept as real and soulfully placed—
answer to the race instinct that grow
out of universal passions of joy, grati-
tude, and patriotism. The instant
ending and beginning of the year is
therefore a sort of summing up, a
sort of sweeping into "a major pre-
mise" of the other consid rations and
contemplations of the cycle of
"moons and months." It is the
ultimate window of the watchtower,
the one which can serve only when
dying shades and embryotic light di-
vide the hours. It is the Mount
Sair vigil of the larger revelation,
and the order of call and answer is
therefore reversed: "Watchman, what
of the morning?" The night com-
eth and after it the morning."

The festival of the dying and wak-
ing of the year is an answer to the
happier changes of thought and
affection that go on within us. Repen-
tance and forgetfulness are the
means by which we put away our
unworthy feelings and ideals. Hope
and faith are the begetters of our
nobler and purer aspirations. The
old year dies and passes, symbolizing
how by grace we may put out of our
lives things that wrong and hurt us.
The new year, with its new dates,
new opportunities, and new help, is
a forever renewed call of the evangel
of the new heart, the new life. "He
hath put eternity in their hearts,"
declared the wise man, and each
new year is a fresh manifestation of
that eternal sense. The festival of
the New Year comes close to youth,
the new year is a fulfillment of at
least a great part of the promise,
"Behold, I make all things new." It

is an exposition of the doctrine that
youth is in the world of God forever.

Age is an accident of human frail-
ty and not a part of the divine plan
in the perfection of all things.
Whatever is to endure is young,
always young.

The New Year festival has in it
an element of the nature love that is
instinct in our race. Aside from
starry skies or mantling night clouds,
the chill of midnight airs, and the
voiceless shades that wrap hill and
valley, we have no truer picture of
the going and coming of the year.
Instinctively, too, we feel that na-
ture is suffering a pang of loneliness
and dying on the one hand and a
joy of birth on the other. At no
season of the year do nature and
revelation come so near together. It
is then that nature and faith make
mutual pleas. The God of revela-
tion is still the God of nature. Time
is the egg which hides the winged
soul of eternity.

Silence inevitably attaches to death,
as also to birth. The priestess vigi-
ler at the death and birth of the year
is Silence, a silence which if attend-
ed is fruitful of the highest and best
in emotion and purpose. The
"watch night" of the fathers invaded
the sanctities of this silence with a
faith that expected and purposed.

They sang:

"Come let us anew our journey
pursue,
Roll round with the year,
And never stand still till the
Master appear.
His adorable will let us gladly
fulfill
And our talents improve
By the patience of hope and
the labor of love."

Make of the fled year a closed door
against the false and faithless things
and of the new year an open portal
into the new and better house of life
into which you shall carry with you
the faith and sacrifice-bought treas-
ures of all your past. "From the
Epworth Era."

Set by Wyman Stanley Calmes.

"The Pledge of the New Year"
was put in type by Wyman Stanley
Calmes, the little seven-year old son
of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Calmes.

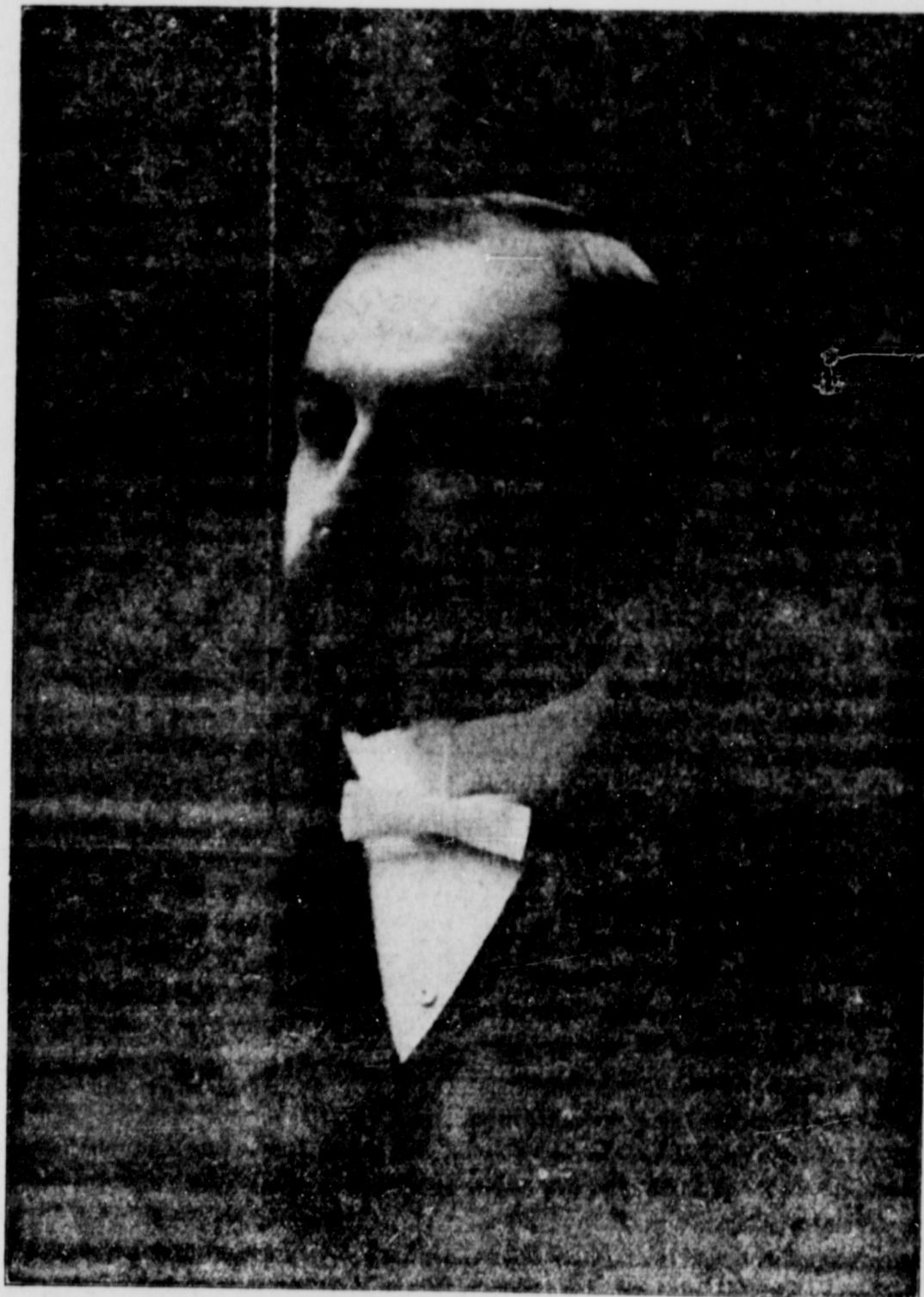
During the vacation last week he
helped his father in the office earn-
ing, at fifty cents a column, three
dollars that he applied on his pledge
to the New Methodist Church Fund.
Little Wyman has been setting
type for more than two years and
submits the cleanest proof in the
office.

Dr. R. M. Franks, practicing
veterinary surgeon, can be called on
at C. E. Weldon's residence, Marion,
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The Record-Press 1 year and Daily Courier-Journal 3 month for \$175

REVIVAL MEETING

AT THE
Baptist Church
WILL BEGIN SUNDAY, JANUARY 9TH, 1910
AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A. M.



REV. WM. D. NOWLIN, D. D.
OF OWENSBORO, KY.

Come and Bring your friends, you
cannot afford to miss hearing Dr. Nowlin,
he is one of the most successful evangel-
ists in the South and is a strong speaker.

MR. AND MRS. BOURQUIN, of Paducah, will Conduct the
Singing.

THANKS TO YOU

FOR HELPING US TO MAKE THE PAST YEAR THE LARGEST IN THE HISTORY OF our business. We certainly appreciate the patronage you gave us and most cordially solicit your trade for the oncoming year, promising to use every legitimate means to please and give you better values than you will find elsewhere.

Our aim is to secure your trade and hold it, with Honest and Courteous Treatment, and with goods that merit the Price.

To those who have patronized us in the past we again express our thanks, and ask a continuance.

To Those who have not traded with us heretofore, we kindly ask to come and examine our stock, get our prices and Compare

Them with Others, then we firmly believe that you will see that it will be to your own interest to give us your trade also.

Wishing every one a Happy and Prosperous Year, We are yours for real values,

TAYLOR & CANNAN,

Marion, Ky.

PERSONALS

W. Nunn, Dentist Press Bldg.
R. Ralston called last week
us \$1.50 for the Record-
100 envelopes and the 250
ads.

Dollar, of Fredonia, while
last week called in to renew
Record-Press.

Terry paid his own renewa-
of two others last week,
advantage of the envelopes
of.

P. S. Maxwell paid his
and that of his niece, Mrs.
Brachley and nephew, Mr.
Maxwell, of Ardmore, Okla.
Eda M. Roberts, of near
sent us a dollar as a new
er last week.

Jones, of Sturgis, called
a visit to friends here last
paid us a dollar as a new
er.

W. T. Oakley called last
renewed his subscription
Record-Press.

Vanhoosier, of the county,
last week and renewed his
on to the Record-Press.

Hudson, of Salem, formerly
in the fire insurance business
Watertown, Tenn. last week.
will be temporarily located.

James Mars, of Grove Center
visited Mr. and Mrs. K. C.
the county.

W. Blue was called to
on business Tuesday of

The Postal Telegraph Company
during the holidays, furnished Miss
Mary Cameron, their genial operator
here, with some lovely souvenir
blanks for their many customers.

Judge J. P. Pierce had a turkey
for his Christmas dinner that was,
perhaps, the largest bird ever grown
in Crittenden county. It weighed,
when dressed, thirty-three pounds.

Luther Stevens, Tribune, called
while in town last week and had his
name added to our list of subscribers.

Mrs. C. C. Long, of Dallas, Tex.,
who has been visiting relatives and
friends here during the holidays,
called and renewed her subscription
before returning.

A revival meeting is to com-
mence next Sunday morning at the
Baptist church to be conducted by
Rev. Wm. D. Newlin, of Owensboro.

Dr. Nowlin is said to be one of
the leading evangelists of the South,
and surely the success marking his
pathway indicates it.

The singing will be in charge of
Mr. and Mrs. Bourquin, of Paducah.
Surely the Lord has blessed us,
and now, why not apply for work as
laborers in His vineyard.

LOST.—In Marion December 28,
a black and white spotted bird dog,
black head with white streak on
head. Big black spot on side,
black tail with white hair on end.
Has short tail, six or eight inches
long. Is known by name of "Spot."
Information will be gladly received
by Geo. W. Parish, Fredonia, Ky.,
Route 2.

FOR SALE.—One old mule, good
worker; one young mule and one
horse. Will sell for cash or on
time, to suit purchaser. Come quick
if you want a bargain.—Eugene
Clark, Tolu, Ky.

Sweet little Clara Porter, the five
year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
Earnest Carnahan, died very sud-
denly on Monday Morning, Dec. 3d.

She was buried in the New Mar-
ion cemetery, Rev. J. B. Adams of
the Methodist church officiating.

The grief-stricken Parents have the
sympathy of all in this, the greatest
grief of their lives.

CARD OF THANKS.

Dr. Franks wishes to thank his
many friends who remembered him
on Christmas Eve, for the nice pres-
ents from the Xmas Tree and else-
where, but sorry to say that the tin-
nie little babe or doll is entirely to
young to raise without material care.
I am doing the very best I can for it,
but it actually needs same clothes—
I cannot tell that it has anything at
all—I shall not undertake to give
the sex, but will say that it is beauti-
ful little one—but don't think that
it is a full American; therefore I am
anxious to see its Ma and Pa.

SPECIAL NOTICE

Of Importance to The People of
Marion.

Haynes & Taylor desire to an-
nounce to the readers of the Record-
Press that they have been able to
secure the agency for Parisian Sage,
the marvelous dandruff cure and
delightful hair dressing.

Haynes & Taylor are glad to state
that Parisian Sage is rigidly guaran-
teed hair invigorator.
It cures dandruff in two weeks by
killing the dandruff microbes; it
stops falling hair, itching scalp and
splitting hair or money back.

It is a most pleasant hair dressing
especially for ladies, as it causes the
hair to grow in thickly and makes it
luxuriant and lustrous. The price
is only 50 cents a large bottle at
Haynes & Taylor's.

Cleveland Stone, our worthy fore-
man, spent Christmas with his
father at Dixon.

Popular Will Clifton, a popular
traveling salesman for a prominent
bat house, of Louisville, was at home
during the holidays.

Miss Ruby James went to Evans-
ville shopping last week.

MARION BOY HONORED AT

STATE COLLEGE, LEXINGTON.

N. G. Rochester, who is attend-
ing the State University at Lexing-
ton, was home to spend Christmas
with his parents, Judge J. G. Roch-
ter and wife. That the good quali-
ties of the young man in his effort to
make his parents and friends proud
of him, is sure to bear fruit, is dem-
onstrated by the fact that Gray was
chosen Consul Commander of the
Woodmen Of the World by the or-
ganization at Lexington, which
shows our young friend to be as
popular in the blue grass capital as
at home.

Archey Brasher was accidentally
shot and instantly killed by his com-
panion while out hunting rabbits
near Kuttawa last Friday. Both of
boys were about 15 years old.

Louis Clifton, a prominent Cloth-
ing salesman, came in home to spend
Christmas.

J. C. B. McMickan, a very promi-
nent and highly respected citizen of
the county, died Sunday.

C. V. Crayne, called while here
Monday to renew his subscription.
Mr. Crayne sold a nice young mule
while in town, \$155.00.

Will J. Hardesty, one of the best
known and most popular grocery
drummers traveling out of Evansville
was at home here Christmas.

D. W. Stone, traveling for a
prominent Medicine house in Padu-
ah, was at home during the holidays.

Geo. Thomas, who has been in
St. Louis for the past few months has
returned home.

Henry Hammack, formerly with a
prominent wholesale house of Evans-
ville, has resigned his position to ac-
cept a like one with the Belknap
Hardware Company of Louisville and
at a greatly increased salary.

Envelopes and paper is being
called for so fast that we were com-
pelled to order an extra one hun-
dred thousand envelopes and one
hundred reams of note heads. And
why not? Every farmer or farm hand
should have his name and address
on his paper and envelope. And
more especially should he do so
while he can get them so cheap.
Just think of 100 envelopes and
250 note heads, with name and ad-
dress, for \$1.50 with the Record-
Press one year.

Mrs. G. A. Thomas called at the
Record-Press office and handed us a
dollar for her renewal.

M. K. Given, of Iron Hill, paid
his renewal to the Record-Press
while in town last week.

Chas. W. Fox, Secretary of the
Board of Education for Crittenden
county, called while in Marion last
week and paid his renewal.

Rev. Jno. R. King, of Blackford,
sent us his check for his renewal,
last week, asking advantage of the
note heads and envelopes. They're nice
and cheaper by half than he could
have bought it without the printing.

Mrs. A. L. Berry and daughters,

Farmers Union Take Notice!

The regular Quarterly meeting of
the Farmers Union of Crittenden
county, will be held at Marion on
Thursday and Friday, January, 13th
and 14th 1910. We hope every
Local Union, will elect delegates
and send in a good report. Dele-
gates are urged to come early and
hand in their credentials properly
signed. WE HAVE MUCH NEW
BUSINESS.

R. L. Barnett will be with us.
W. H. Brown, Pres.

Misses Nonie Belle and Lula Leigh,
of Sturgis, Ky., were guests of Mrs.
N. G. Rochester last week.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CITY OF MARION KENTUCKY

Receipts and Disbursements From January
First, 1909 to January First 1910.

RECEIPTS.

Balance in Treasury from 1908	\$ 624.75
Taxes Collected	4,601.12
Fines	76.10
License	143.50
Miscellaneous Receipts	20.00
TOTAL	5,465.47

DISBURSEMENTS.

Street Repair	\$ 1,278.77
Electric Lights	2,108.25
Keeping Prisoners	15.80
Salary of Marshall	480.00
Salary of Deputy Marshall	2.50
Salary of Mayor	75.00
Salary of Clerk	35.00
Salary of Treasurer	25.00
Salary of Councilman	144.00
Salary of Attorney	150.00
Salary of Clock Winder	25.00
Tax Collector	276.06
Rent on Council Chamber	50.00
Printing	52.50
Miscellaneous Expense	115.06
Voucher Paid for 1909	18.00
Cash on Hand	614.53
TOTAL	5,465.47

There are Vouchers to the amount of \$27.56 outstand-
ing, leaving a net balance of \$586.97 cash on hand, all of
which is respectfully reported.

J. L. TRAVIS, City Clerk.

This January 1st, 1910.

Elzie Thomas now has a good run
on the I. C. out of St. Louis as fire-
man, with a promise of promotion
in the near future.

Walter McConnell has been absent
several days during the holidays
visiting friends over the state.

H. D. Pollard went to Evansville
Sunday to undergo an operation
which, if successful, he will be able
to return in ten days.

The thirty-three young men of
Mr. Pollard's Sunday school class
at the M. E. church re-elected him
by acclamation Sunday.

Mrs. G. W. Baugher died at her
home in South Bend, Ind., Sunday
night, December, 26th, 1909.

Mrs. Baugher was Miss Hortense
Finley, daughter of Mr. J. R. Fin-
ley of this place. She leaves a hus-
band and two little children.

Mrs. Baugher was a very popular
and highly respected lady and the
news of her death came as a shock to
her relatives and friends here.

G. N. Rochester, at home from
Lexington, made a business trip to
Evansville last week.

C. E. WELDON.

C. V. FRANKS.

WELDON & FRANKS

GENERAL INSURANCE AND BONDING
OFFICE ADJOINING

Farmers Bank, Marion, Ky.

THE PREMIUM ISN'T LARGE, BUT
THE COMFORT'S MIGHTY BIG,

Annoucement

SPECIAL

We intend to have a special sale on some
of our articles one day of each week. The same
5 and 10 cent store in the cities do, only we
want to give you better values.

Watch Our Show Windows

Our Show Windows will have the Articles In
before the sale. The Sale Price will be
FOR ONE DAY ONLY.

We will not announce each sale in the pa-
per will depend on our Show Window Altogether.

1ST SALE THURSDAY

Watch Our Show Window.

"MINE" - - M. E. FOHS.

Do You Have Headache



"My first experience with Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills was a sample package handed me. They relieved the pain so promptly that I have never been without them since. I have given them to many friends when they had headache and they never failed to relieve them. I have suffered with neuralgia in my head, and the first one I took relieved me. They have cured me of neuralgia. I would not be without them."

MISS LILLIE B. COLLINS
R. F. D. No. 1, Salem, Va.
Sold by druggists everywhere, who are authorized to return price of first package if they fail to benefit.
MILES MEDICAL CO., Elkhart, Ind.

Carrsville, Ky. Dec. 28th. 1909.
N. E. Calmes, Dear Sir:—Enclosed find check for \$1.50 for the Record-Prers and Courier-Journal. I cannot do without the Old Press.
Hoping you have had a merry Christmas and will have a happy New Year, I am yours truly,
J. R. Threlkeld

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(Pronounced HYO-MEL)
We guarantee it to cure **Catarrh**
No stomach dosing—breathe the pleasant, healing, germ-killing air of Hyomel, and cure CATARRH, COUGHS, COLDS, CROUP, SORE THROAT, BRONCHITIS, ETC.
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Sold by Haynes & Taylor.

Manila, Philippine Islands Dec. 2.
N. E. Calmes,

Dear Sir:—I have sent the Record-Prers to the above address, Company 6th, Infantry. I send money to have my subscription extended from April, next, at which time I think my time expires.

I can't do without the dear old paper. Wishing the Editor and all his subscribers a happy and prosperous New Year, I am, Yours truly,
S. J. Todd.

You need not have Dyspepsia or Indigestion, nor do you need to be troubled in any way with your stomach, if you will simply take Kodol at those times when you feel that you need it. Kodol is guaranteed to relieve you. If it fails your money will be refunded to you by the druggist from whom you purchased it. Kodol digests all the food you eat. It is pleasant to take. Sold by all druggists. 3m

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The best in the world.

FAMOUS PEOPLE

BY FANNIE M. LOTHROP



GEORGE J. GOULD

Remarkable Railroad Career.

GEORGE J. GOULD, the head of the Gould system of railways, controls 17,000 miles of track, sufficient to run a road three quarters around the earth at the equator. This is but the beginning, seemingly, of the realization of his ambition, for his alliance with Rockefeller gives him a backing that makes the railway magnates fear the outcome of his plans. His intention to make a transcontinental system from Ogden, Utah, to Baltimore, Md., if in full operation would, without a doubt, be the means of restoring to Baltimore her former prestige as a great port of the nation.

Mr. Gould, now in his fiftieth year, handles big enterprises with an ease, a certainty and a grasp of essentials that reveal him as a thoroughly satisfactory follower in the footsteps of his father, from whom he received the beginning of his business training.

His early education was with private tutors and without going to college he entered the world of finance under the watchful chaperonage of his father. At an age when most rich men's sons are busy inventing new ways of being happy and taking post-graduate courses in spending money, George was studying railways, finance, the machinery of a director's room and the manipulation of large schemes and movements as seen from the general's tent, where the full plan of campaign was outlined. Before he was thirty he was a director in many large corporations and one of the powers behind the throne in Missouri Pacific, Manhattan Elevated, Western Union and a number of other companies where his voice and his vote were factors in determining the control of millions.

Heredity, environment and a feeling of responsibility combined with his own hard sense and a singular concentration and energy of purpose helped him to hold and increase the fortune left him by his father.

Mr. Gould is a tireless worker, intensely interested in his business life; but in his hours of rest and recreation at his home in Lakewood, N. J., he puts his whole heart into his polo or his romps with his five children, as if business were only a word in his dictionary, not a factor in his life. His palace in the pines at Lakewood is an architectural dream; realized seemingly by a magic spell in a clearing in the forest. The house is of gray brick in the Renaissance style with treasures of furnishing. The stables, polo grounds, theatre, casino, racing track, swimming pools, sunken garden and marvellous fountain, all designed and carried into execution by the ablest artists, on regal lines of magnificence, make "Georgian Court" one of the finest country houses in America.

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THE OPEN SEPULCHER

By REV. A. C. DIXON, D. D.,
Pastor of the Chicago Ave. (Moody's) Church, Chicago.



The open sepulcher proclaims the foundation fact of Christianity that Christ rose from the dead. Paul said: "If Christ be not risen, then is our preaching vain, and your faith is also vain." His real body was placed in a real sepulcher and his real body came out of this real sepulcher. He was pronounced dead by the disinterested officials who were sent to examine him. His friends believed him dead, for some of them came with spices to embalm him. The fact of his resurrection is as well attested as the fact of his death and burial. Peter and John find the tomb empty without any evidence of robbery, for everything is in order. He showed himself to Mary, who at first takes him for the gardener. Then he appears to the two disciples on the way to Emmaus. Again, while the doors are shut he appears in the midst of his disciples. Then more than 500 brethren see him at once. To one who accepts the Biblical record as authoritative the fact of the resurrection is proved beyond the shadow of a doubt.

The open sepulcher, in the second place, confirms the fact of the deity of Christ. If he did not rise from the dead, he was, of course, a mere man and his death was that of a victim and not a king, and the world is benefited no more by his death than by the death of any other martyr to a noble mission. But the open sepulcher proves that all he claimed of deity for himself and all his friends claimed for him was true. He was declared to be the Son of God, with power, by the resurrection from the dead.

The open sepulcher, in the third place, is the fulfillment of prophecy. He rose from the dead according to the Scriptures. We read in Psalms 2:7: "The Lord hath said unto me thou art my Son; this day have I brought thee forth." And we learn in Acts 13:33 that these words predict the resurrection of Jesus. The words of Hosea: "In the third day he will rise up and we shall rise in his sight," point forward to the resurrection of Jesus and of all his people with him. In Psalm 16:9, 10 Peter tells us in his Pentecostal sermon David refers to Christ: "My flesh also shall rest in hope, for thou wilt not leave my soul in hades, neither wilt thou suffer thine Holy One to see corrup-

tion." Thus, as Peter tells us, the spirit of Christ did signify in prophecy "when it testified beforehand the sufferings of Christ and the glory that should follow."

The open sepulcher, in the fourth place, is itself a prophecy. It predicts the resurrection of all the dead. "Now is Christ risen from the dead and become the first fruits of them that slept."—1 Cor. 15:20. "Every man in his own order, Christ the first fruits; afterward, they that are Christ's at his coming."—1 Cor. 15:23.

The body of Christ came out of the sepulcher and our bodies will come out of their graves. "The hour is coming in the which all that are in the graves shall hear his voice and shall come forth; they that have done good, unto the resurrection of life; and they that have done evil, unto the resurrection of judgment."—John 5:28. The Christian will come forth in his glorified body. "Sown a natural body; raised a spiritual body." "Sown in corruption; it will be raised in incorruption." "Sown in weakness, it will be raised in power." "Sown in dishonor; it will be raised in glory." The open sepulcher of Jesus is a prophecy that the bodies of my loved ones whom I buried beneath the sod will come forth, leaving behind them all carnality, corruption, weakness and dishonor. There has been a restitution of all things they have lost through sin.

The open sepulcher, in the fifth place, comforts us in apparent failures. Every appearance indicated that Jesus was a failure and that his life work would count for nothing. He had been crucified as a malefactor. His disciples were discouraged and scattered. His body, pronounced dead, was guarded by the Roman seal and a band of Roman soldiers. The sun of Christianity, to be sure, had gone down in gloom, and there is no star in the sky of its night. But suddenly the angel appears, suddenly the earthquake breaks the Roman seal, suddenly the stone is rolled away and suddenly Jesus walks out of the sepulcher. It is a sunrise at midnight. Jesus is in the midst of his disciples filling them with faith and hope.

The open sepulcher, in the sixth place, gives us a story to tell. The angel said: "Go quickly and tell his disciples that he is risen from the dead." The disciples all believed that Christ had died, but the fact of the resurrection was needed to give them assurance that his death was more than ordinary, that he died as a king and not as a victim of circumstance. The resurrection confirms the merit of the death of Jesus. If he rose from the dead his blood atones for all sins, but if he rose not we are yet in our sins.

Wisdom's worth and winsomeness, her pleasantness and peace, are known only to those who walk her way.

There is no man so high that the lowest creature may not be his teacher.

The moth of sloth eats the fabric of fortune.

Short weight, long woe.

LIFE SAVED BY A TIN TOMATO CAN

WITH IT A CASTAWAY FARMHAND
BAILS BOAT FOR 29 HOURS
BEFORE REACHING LAND.

BLOWN 62 MILES BY STORM

Unable to Row in Great Gale, Edgar L. Brown Is Driven Across Lake Ontario—None the Worse for Experience.

Rochester, N. Y.—Edgar L. Brown, who was blown across Lake Ontario in a recent big storm in a flat-bottom punt, walked down the gangway of the car ferryboat Ontario at Charlotte at five o'clock a few days later and was cheered by half the population of the village. The famous boat was on the ferry, and was immediately claimed by Michael Burns, a farmer, who owns it. A neighbor offered to give Burns and the boat a lift home in his wagon.

"Not on your life," said Burns; "that boat has a record now and it would be a disgrace to it to put it on a wagon. I'm going to row it around to the pond to-morrow."

Neither Brown nor the punt shows any ill effects of the weird experience. Brown says he entered the boat in Round Pond about seven o'clock Monday morning. He fell asleep, and when he awoke, half an hour later, was nearly out of sight of land. From then until he landed on the Canadian coast, three and one-half miles from Grafton, about noon Tuesday, he was mostly in the bottom of the craft bailing for his life with a tomato can.

His clothing was soaked in the first hour at sea, and was sodden when he landed. He says the waves looked as tall as church steeples.

"What did I think of?" echoed Brown, when asked about his experience. "I simply couldn't think. Every faculty seemed concentrated in that tomato can. It was only Almighty God that brought me through. Man alone could not have survived. I suffered from cold terribly, and the exercise of



"I Alternately Bailed Out and Rowed All Day."

bailing undoubtedly prevented me from succumbing from exposure.

"I tried to use the oars, but saw it was impossible to make headway against the wind. The only course open to me was to go with the wind and keep her afloat until I was blown to the other shore.

"I alternately rowed and bailed all day Monday. At night I stopped rowing and bailed all night. About ten o'clock Tuesday morning I looked up from bailing and saw the blue haze of the Canadian shore. It was blowing a gale then. The wind was southeast when I started, but afterward blew from the south. I got near the land about noon.

"The boat was swamped several rods from shore, and it took my last ounce of strength to get her in and pull her up on the land. I collapsed, but managed to hang onto the painter.

"When I got so I could walk I made my way to a farmhouse, where I got food and dry clothing. I had eaten nothing since supper Sunday evening." Brown rested a little while and then walked to Cobourg. He was too weak to finish the seven miles to his wife's house in Port Huron on foot and was by train. Mrs. Brown had heard nothing about his being blown out to sea but his first thought was that she would have heard it, and he wanted to relieve her mind. A letter announcing his supposed drowning reached her brother the night of Brown's arrival in Port Hope. He was a hero in Port Hope, and the Canadian papers of the section were full of the story of the 62-mile voyage across the lake.

"I'll get him and the boat a good engagement at a show house in Rochester, former Village Clerk John Keegan proposed to Brown's employer, P. J. Rigney, when the hero was being congratulated in Charlotte.

"There's a plow out on the farm that just fits Edgar," Mr. Rigney said decisively. "Come on home, Edgar."

Brown laughed and started for the farm. He is a self-possessed but modest chap, 37 years old.

Brown went to the place where he landed, near Grafton, Friday night and rowed the boat ten miles to Cobourg to get it aboard the ferry.

WELLS IN THE DESERT

By REV. A. C. DIXON, D. D.,
Pastor of the Chicago Ave. (Moody's) Church, Chicago.



"Blessed is the man whose strength is in thee; in whose heart are the highways; who passing through the valley of Baca make it a well; who dig deep enough and he will find the cool, refreshing stream."

The desert usually lacks but one thing to make it a garden in southern climes it has light, heat and often very fertile soil. Water is the one need. And frequently there is abundance of water a few feet beneath the surface, rivers that flow through their hidden channels. The thirsty traveler has only to dig deep enough and he will find the cool, refreshing stream.

Christians come to desert valleys of Baca in their experiences and there is a process by which the wells may be made and their thirsty, drooping spirits refreshed. The secret is in the words: "Blessed is the man whose strength is in thee, in whose heart are the highways." No human strength can dig such a well. It is our reliance upon the strength of God that makes a well in the desert, and if in our hearts are the highways of love, peace and joy the well will never go dry.

Sin wastes and withers every flower and shrub. After the murder of Abel the ground refused to bring forth its fruits for Cain, and up to that time he was a prosperous farmer. Sin made earth a desert for him. A prosperous merchant forges the name of his rich neighbor to just one check; his reputation for honesty is lost and his business goes to pieces. Sin has made a desert for him. The home which is a very garden of God can be turned into a desert by sin. A life as fair as the flowers of spring can be turned into a desert full of loathsome reptiles. Drink, lust, lying, any sort of sin, can turn any life-garden of purity and beauty into a desert of villenous and moral ugliness.

But a well can be made even in the desert caused by sin. "If we confess our sins he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness." Confession digs the well of forgiveness and cleansing, which fills our souls with the refreshing waters of peace and joy. "He that believeth on the son hath everlasting life." Faith in Christ digs in our hearts the well which springs up into eternal life. "Behold the Lamb of God who taketh away the sin of the world." Vision of Christ as sin bearer digs in our hearts the well of consciousness that the sin question has been settled, our guilt is removed and "there is, therefore, now no condemnation to them who are in Christ Jesus."

A friend of mine, prosperous in his profession, discovered that he had a bad case of tuberculosis, and, leaving his beautiful home, went to Arizona to seek health, while his business fell to pieces. Life, at first, seemed a desert waste; but when I saw him a few weeks ago he was drinking of the waters in the wells of resignation and patience, which God on whose strength he leaned had made in this desert experience, and in his heart were the highways of faith, hope and joy. There lived in New York city a young woman who had given herself to Christ, and was anxious to be useful. But disease paralyzed her body, so that she could not rise from her bed, though she could use her hands in writing. For more than 40 years she lived in a little brick cottage without leaving her room a single time. The city of New York built its high houses around this little cottage with its helpless invalid, and the friends who would see her must pass through the side door of a saloon. It was like going through hell to reach heaven. That room of invalidism was a holy of holies, a miniature paradise. One could easily imagine the rustle of angels' wings as he listened to the mellow, sweet voice from the pillow telling of God's abiding presence with her, and when she prayed it was like friend talking with friend, so real that when you opened your eyes and looked up you almost expected to see God with whom she spoke. The rich and learned came to that little room for comfort and strength, while the poor of the neighborhood knew who was their best friend, and every Christmas the turkey came as the gift of the Christ child through her. Men and woman who believed in the power of God to heal urged her to seek healing of him, but she refused, saying that "one can be sick and at the same time happy and useful. God was her strength and in her heart were the highways of contentment and joy. The faith and love of Bella Cooke made wells in the desert of invalidism from which her own soul drank.

God never fails to hear the prayer of him whose strength he is and in whose heart are his highways. The seeming evils from beneath combine with the good from above to bless him. "Get right with God" through Jesus Christ, keep right through constant fellowship with him and every desert will have its well, while the showers of grace from above will refresh your soul.

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Preaching at 11:00 a. m., p. m., each third Sunday.

Prayer Meeting each Tuesday night.

You are cordially invited to each and all the services of church.

REV. ARTHUR C. BIDDLE, Pastor.

Methodist Church Sunday 9:30 a. m., T. H. Cochran, Preaching, 11 a. m., and 8 p. m.

Ephworth League, 7:15 p. m. Cordial invitation to all.

REV. J. B. ADAMS, Pastor.

Baptist Church: Preaching Sunday morning at 11 a. m., 8 p. m.

Sunday School, 9:30, J. P. R. Superintendent.

Prayer meeting, every Tuesday night.

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Notice.

Commencing December 27th unpooled tobacco received from the Farmers' Union tobacco will be received on Monday, Tuesday of each week and all tobacco on Wednesdays, Thursdays and Fridays. No tobacco on Saturdays. Please tell neighbors.

Respectfully,

J. P. PIERCE

County Chairman

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If you wish to qualify for a position at the least cost, address particulars, W. R. Smith, Lexington, Ky.

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"THE CASH STORE."

Having enjoyed a splendid trade, all through the past year, and while I feel to have merited the same, yet it is far from me to enter upon the New Year without thanking my many customers and friends for having made my business a success. Having inaugurated a cash system, which I have strictly adhered to, applying to buying as well as selling, gave me a decided advantage over the man who buys on time, which advantage I cheerfully gave my customers. By this method I am better prepared to take care of my many customers and they are better able to buy.

Living, learning, and prospering by CASH SYSTEM and having, decidedly a better idea than ever, of the wants of the people I announce to my customers on this, the advent of the New Year, that I am better prepared than ever to sell you what you want and save you money.

Again thanking you for the exceeding liberal patronage extended me in the past, and wishing one and all, a happy and prosperous journey through the New Year and hoping to merit and hold inviolate the confidence you have placed in me, promising to accord to you a hearty welcome when you visit my store,

HENRY STONE,

**YOURS TRULY,
MARION, KENTUCKY.**

Sheriff's Sale for Taxes.

By virtue of taxes due the State and County for the year 1909, I or one of my Deputies will on the 10th day of January 1910, between the hours of 1 o'clock p. m., and 4 o'clock p. m., at the Court house door in Marion Crittenden county, Kentucky, expose to Public Sale to the highest bidder, for cash in hand, the following property (or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount of the taxes due)

Jno. Crouch, tax and cost	5.70
Marion Zinc Co., 300 acres adj. W. B. Bennett	
Marion Zinc Co., 25 acres adj. Dexter Daniel	
Marion Zinc Co., 91 acres adj. J. G. K. Babb	
Marion Zinc Co., 74 acres adj. John Polk	
Marion Zinc Co., 224 acres adj. Albert Buttler, tax and cost	26.85
UNION PRECINCT NO. 4.	

Marion Precinct No 1

Rollins Neal, col. 1 lot in Marion, tax and cost	5.80
Vick N. E. 1 lot in Marion tax and cost	6.85
Phillips W. J. 50 acres mining right, tax and cost	13.20
Murphy S. F. 1 lot tax	4.15

MARION PRECINCT, No. 2.

Crider Jesse, col. 1 lot in Marion, tax and cost	4.30
Haurey Charles, 140 acres adj. A. J. Hughes tax & cost	5.90
Hayden J. M. 60 acres adj. P. Stevens tax and cost	7.0
McCain Thomas, col. 1 lot in Marion, tax and cost	4.75

DYCUSBURG PRECINCT, No. 3

Brown S. D. 3 lots in Dycusburg, tax and cost	12.15
J. A. Crowell, tax and cost, Gilbert W. S. 60 acres adj. S. A. Snow tax and cost	7.00
Gilbert Will 45 acres adj. W. E. Todd tax and cost.	9.20
The above is but a partial list of the unpaid taxes long past due. J. G. ASHER, S. C. C.	

FOR SALE.—Four mules, some what old but serviceable. Electrical equipment has enabled us to do without mules for tram road service and would sell these mules cheap. We would like to receive offers. ROSICLARE LEAD & FLUOR SPAR MINES. Rosiclare, Ill.

MAKING LIFE SAFER.

Everywhere life is being made more safe through the work of Dr. King's New Life Pills in Constipation, Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Liver troubles, Kidney Diseases and Bowel Disorders. They're easy, but sure, and perfectly build up the health. 25c at J. H. Orme's, Marion, Ky.

WANTED.—Lady distributor and solicitor in Marion. DR. W. S. BURKHART, 351 Cincinnati, Ohio.

A WRETCHED MISTAKE to endure the itching, painful distresses of Piles. There's no need to.

ten. "I suffered much from Piles," writes Will. A. Marsh, of Siler City, N. C., "till I got a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and was soon cured." Burns, Boils, Ulcers, Fever Sores, Eczema, Cuts, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, vanish before it. 25 cents at J. H. Orme's Marion Ky.

Miss Iva Hicklin, one of the most valued teachers in the graded school has been dangerously ill now for more than a month.

SAVED AT DEATH'S DOOR.

The door of death seemed ready to open for Murray W. Ayers, of Transit Bridge N. Y., when his life was wonderfully saved. "I was in a dreadful condition," he writes, "my skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken; emaciated from losing 40 pounds; growing weaker daily. Violent liver trouble pulling me down to death in spite of doctors. Then that matchless medicine—Electric Bitters—cured me. I regained the 40 pounds lost and now am well and strong." For all stomach, liver and kidney troubles they're supreme. 50c at J. H. Orme's, Marion, Ky.

HOUSE GIRL WANTED.—By Jan. 1st, house girl to do cooking; white German girl preferred. Nice permanent home. Reference required. A. H. REED, Sup't Rosiclare Lead & Fluor Spar Mines, Rosiclare, Ill.

INDIGESTION

Relief in Five Minutes and Permanent Cure or Money Back.

When Haynes & Taylor state that they have a remedy that is guaranteed to cure any man or woman who suffers from food fermentation which causes belching, sour stomach, gas, eructations, heartburn and that lump of lead feeling in the abdomen or money back what are the poor stomach sufferers in Marion and vicinity going to do about it?

The name of this most remarkable stomach prescription is Mi-o-na. It's a certain cure for indigestion or stomach disorders. Here is one opinion:

"I have been troubled with indigestion for more than a year. I

bought one box of Mi-o-na and it cured me. I would not be without a box in the house for \$50.00. It saves a lot when you can be cured for 50 cents."—Arthur Sederquest, 6 Nichols St., Wakefield, Mass., Nov. 7, 1909.

Mi-o-na stomach tablets costs 50 cents a box at druggists everywhere and at Haynes & Taylor's Marion, Ky.

Booth's Pills will give constipation sufferers a joyful surprise. 25c.

W. L. Staton, one of the most popular grocery drummers on the road, was at home here, during the holidays.

ABOUT HYOMEL.

A Bottle Costs Only 50 Cents—A Complete Outfit Including Inhaler \$1.00.

When Hyomel is guaranteed to cure catarrh or your money back. What is your answer?

Are you satisfied with your condition, or do you want to rid yourself forever of vile catarrh, with its humiliating symptoms, such as hacking spitting, blowing and bad breath? Hyomel is a simple, antiseptic medicine, that you breathe through a small pocket inhaler over the parts affected.

It is made of Australian eucalyptus mixed with other germ killing and membrane soothing antiseptics. Get a complete outfit today. It only costs \$1.00, and contains everything necessary to cure any ordinary case of catarrh. Extra bottles, if needed, 50 cents.

Hyomel is the best remedy in the world for sore throat, coughs and colds, croup and bronchitis. It gives wonderful relief in two minutes. For sale by druggists everywhere and by Haynes & Taylor who guarantee it.

J. S. McMorris handed us a dollar as his renewal last week.

A WILD BLIZZARD RAGING brings danger, suffering—often death—to thousands, who take colds, coughs and lagrippe—that terror of Winter and Spring. Its danger signals are "stuffed up," nostrils, lower part of nose sore; chills and fever, pain in back of head, and a throat-gripping cough. When Grip attacks, as you value your life, don't delay

getting Dr. King's New Discovery. "One bottle cured me," writes A. L. Dunn, of Pine Valley, Mo., "after being laid up three weeks with Grip." For sore, lungs, hemorrhages, Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, Asthma, its price 50c, \$1.00. Guaranteed. J. H. Orme, Marion, Ky.

Mr. G. S. G. Green brought fine lemon to this office last week that measured fifteen and one inches in circumference. The lemon was sent him by his son, Wm. Green, of DeQueen, Arkansas.

Aaron Towery, of Piney, was Marion Monday to qualify as deputy county clerk. While here he called and renewed his subscription to Record-Press, taking advantage of the paper and envelope offer and daily Courier-Journal. Being surveyor, Judge Towery will make his office convenient for the people of Piney.

The live grocery firm of Morris Yates sold, last year, according to the books of the whole sale house \$5,380 worth of flour, \$5,400 worth of sugar and a little less than \$6,000 worth of bacon. The flour was a product of the Marion Milling Co.

This is a little over \$16,000 for three staples, which gives the reader an idea as to the enormity of the business of this well known firm and high esteem in which they are held by their patrons.

Mr. Jno. Vandell Jr., of Glen Wilton, Va., has been the guest, the past week, of his brother, Mr. T. J. Vandell, the Cashier of the Marion Bank. Mr. Vandell is connected with one of the most prominent coal mines of his state and a man worth of, and competent for the high position he is holding with his company.

Mr. Geo. Fort, of Cadiz, was the guest of Mrs. Carless last week.

Mr. Clint Glover, of Wallonia was the guest of friends here during the holidays.

In honor of her guests Mrs. Rochester gave a six o'clock dinner on Wednesday evening.

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fy the amount of the taxes due aforesaid and costs) to-wit:

MARION PRECINCT NO. 1.

Crider, Ed 1 lot in Marion tax and cost	5.80
Fletcher John, 1 lot in Marion, tax and cost	3.80
Hatchett Henry, 1 lot in Marion, tax and cost	5.75
Pippin Dona, col. 1 lot in Marion, tax and cost	3.15
Brooks Chas, col., 20 acres adj Geo. Money-maker	7.30
Bucklow Burley, 34 acres adj H. Burklow, tax and cost	8.00
Gass W. C. 61 acres adj	

Cook T. P. 31 acres adj J. W. Grimes,	5.90
Chippis Nancy col 30 acres adj Jerry Croft	3.40

FORDS FERRY PRE. No.

Cincinnati Couperage Co. 2 lots in Weston,	1.60
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BELLS MINES NO. 7.

Hogard heirs, 30 acres adj A. Markey, tax and cost	2.25
Hughes, J. H. col., 120 acres adj. Bob Hughes, tax	4.95
Lewis B. R. 75 acres adj. E. L. Nunn, tax and cost,	12.90

PINEY PRECINCT NO 8

Clark E. U. 36 acres adj	
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TO OUR FRIENDS--GREETING

In contemplating the events of the past year, we are moved to a feeling of gratitude and thanks to Providence for the many blessings we have been priveleged to enjoy, and also thankful and grateful to our many friends and patrons who have honored us with their favors and confidence. We now extend to them our best wishes for the coming year, which we hope will be one of happiness and prosperity.

A. S. CAVENDER,

Marion, Kentucky.